

SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA

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The Supreme Court has indicated that the filing of a written opinion in the following case(s) is forthcoming. At the filing time designated below, the filed opinion(s) will be accessible at the judicial branch web site ([www.courtinfo.ca.gov](http://www.courtinfo.ca.gov)) and copies will be made available at the Supreme Court Clerk's Office.

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**PEOPLE v. BLACK (KEVIN)**

S126182 (F042592; Tulare County Superior Court – 79557)  
Argued in Los Angeles 4-07-05

This case presents the following issues: (1) What effect do the decisions in *Blakely v. Washington* (2004) \_\_ U.S. \_\_, 124 S.Ct. 2531 and *United States v. Booker* (2005) \_\_ U.S. \_\_, 125 S.Ct. 738 have on the validity of defendant's upper term sentence? (2) What effect do those decisions have on the trial court's imposition of consecutive sentences?

**PEOPLE v. PEREZ (GERARDO)**

S111985 (G028325; Orange County Superior Court – SAOOCF2039)  
Argued in Los Angeles 4-07-05

This case includes the following issue: Can a defendant be held liable for aiding and abetting the offense of possessing specified substances with the intent to manufacture methamphetamine without evidence that a principal other than the defendant committed that crime?

**Opinion(s) in the above case(s) will be filed on:**

Monday, June 20, 2005 at 10:00 a.m.

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